

### Church News

**GRACE LUTHERAN**  
 Rev. Edwin F. Troutman, Pastor  
 Sunday School 10 a. m.  
 Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon  
 topic: "The Christian Family."  
 Luther Leagues 6:30 p. m. Topic:  
 "Mother."  
 Brotherhood 7:15 p. m.  
 Daily Vacation Bible School will  
 begin at Grace Lutheran Church on  
 Monday, May 20, and continue  
 through May 31. The theme for the  
 school will be "The Bible."

**REVIVAL AT THREE FORKS**  
 A revival meeting will begin at  
 Three Forks Baptist Church Sun-  
 day night, May 12, at 7:30. Serv-  
 ices will be held each day at 11  
 and 7:30. Rev. W. H. Caldwell, of  
 Sparta, will do the preaching. The  
 public is invited.  
 Rev. Raymond Hendrix is pastor  
 of the church.

#### REVIVAL MEETING

The Rev. Dan H. Graham of  
 Blountville, Tenn. will conduct  
 Union Evangelistic services at the  
 Linville Presbyterian Church begin-  
 ning Sunday evening, May 12, and  
 continuing for ten days. For many  
 years Rev. Graham has given his  
 entire time to evangelistic work,  
 and has held many meetings in  
 Yancey, Mitchell, Avery, and Wata-  
 uga counties. He is now serving as  
 pastor of the Blountville Presby-  
 terian church; and is taking this  
 time from his pastorate to hold ser-  
 vices at Linville. He will be assisted  
 in the services by the Rev. Walter  
 K. Keys, pastor of the Linville  
 church. A most cordial invitation is  
 given to all these services which  
 will be held each evening at 7:30  
 o'clock, Eastern Standard Time.

### Federal Land Bank Now Farmer-Owned

The Federal Land Bank of Colum-  
 bia is now entirely owned by the  
 farmer members of the 85 national  
 farm loan associations and a small  
 number of direct borrowers in the  
 Third Farm Credit District, accord-  
 ing to a statement received this week  
 from Julian H. Scarborough, Presi-  
 dent of the bank, by O. H. Bracey,  
 secretary-treasurer of the North  
 Wilkesboro National Farm Loan  
 Association. "The final payment of  
 approximately \$5,000,000 of the gov-  
 ernment's investment was made on  
 May 1," Secretary-Treasurer O. H.  
 Bracey said.  
 The initial capital of the Federal  
 Land Bank of Columbia of \$750,000  
 was provided by the government  
 when the bank was chartered on  
 March 16, 1917. This capital was  
 gradually repaid as the national  
 farm loan associations purchased  
 capital stock in the bank and by  
 1928 all government capital has been  
 returned. During the period 1932-38  
 the government again invested in  
 the capital and surplus of the bank  
 to enable it to meet the tremendous  
 demand for farm mortgage credit  
 existing during that time. The bank  
 has been paying off this govern-  
 ment investment as rapidly as pos-  
 sible and completed payment in full  
 on May 1.

Nearly all of the bank's capital of  
 some \$2,600,000 is owned by the 85  
 national farm loan associations in  
 North Carolina, South Carolina,  
 Georgia, and Florida. Only a small  
 amount is owned by farmer bor-  
 rowers who have obtained direct  
 loans from the bank. The capital of  
 the associations is owned entirely  
 by their farmer members; thus, the  
 capital of the land bank is indirectly  
 owned by farmer users of the credit  
 facilities of the bank and the  
 associations.

The bank has loaned more than  
 \$160,000,000 to nearly 70,000 farmers  
 since it was organized 29 years ago.  
 Farm mortgages held by the bank  
 approximate \$40,000,000 at this time.  
 Loan repayments have been at a  
 rapid rate during the last three  
 years with more than \$3 paid to  
 each \$1 loaned. "The liberal repay-  
 ment policy of the bank encourages  
 borrowers to make advance pay-  
 ments on their loans and pay them  
 in full before maturity which has  
 enabled many farmers to own their  
 farms and homes, free of debt, much  
 sooner than planned," Secretary-  
 Treasurer Bracey said.

The North Wilkesboro association  
 has a farmer-owned capital of  
 \$28,690.00, all of which is invested  
 in capital stock of the Federal Land  
 Bank. The office is located at North  
 Wilkesboro and handles the making  
 and servicing of land bank loans in  
 Alleghany, Ashe, Caldwell, Watauga  
 and Wilkes counties.

### Zionville News

Mrs. Ross Bumgardner has re-  
 turned from Grace Hospital, Banner  
 Elk where she took treatment for  
 the past three weeks.

Miss Stella Johnson of Creston,  
 N. C. spent the week-end here as a  
 guest of her cousin Miss Jewell  
 Reese.

Messrs Harve and Milton Brown

and Mrs. Mack Lawrence were  
 called to Roaring River last week  
 because of the serious illness of their  
 sister Mrs. Lee Cole whose condi-  
 tion is yet critical.  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Robinson of  
 Port Orchard, Wash., are here for a  
 visit among relatives for a few  
 weeks.  
 Mr. Solomon Grogan remains  
 seriously ill at his home here.  
 Rev. Horace Harris of Lenoir who  
 helped here in a revival last fall  
 accompanied the pastor Rev. R. C.  
 Cook here Saturday and preached to  
 a large audience Saturday night.  
 Mrs. W. S. Penn has returned  
 from Bristol and Elizabethton, Tenn.  
 where she attended the wedding of  
 her niece Nancy Greer Grindstaff  
 on Saturday.

**Want  
ADS**

**FOR SALE**—House, newly decorat-  
 ed. Stone construction, 5 rooms,  
 bath, garage and garden. L. B. Swof-  
 ford, Swofford's Tire Store, Boone,  
 N. C. 1c

**FOR SALE**—Grazing for 10 or 12  
 light cattle. L. L. Billings, Vilas,  
 N. C. 5-9-3p

**FOR RENT**—One house and two  
 apartments. Write P. O. Box 332,  
 Boone, N. C. 1c

**PASTURE** for 25 head of cattle.  
 Anyone who can't afford to pay  
 bring certificate from Red Cross and  
 get pasture free. L. S. Byrd, Shulls  
 Mills, N. C. 5-9-2p

### DR. H. E. HALLER

of Lenoir, N. C.  
 announces the opening of offices in  
 the rooms over the

**Boone Drug Company**  
**Wednesday, May 15th**  
 for the practice of  
**OPTOMETRY**

Complete eye examinations, fitting,  
 adjusting and repairing glasses.

Will make examinations on one  
 Wednesday and have glasses on  
 the next Wednesday

**Office Hours: 8:30 to**

**FOR SALE**—Registered Hereford  
 cattle—4 cows, two to calve soon;  
 one with heifer calf and rebred;  
 one with bull calf and rebred; two  
 bred heifers; six yearling heifers  
 and five bull calves. Heifers and  
 calves are by Real Silver Domino  
 5th. The cows and heifers are bred  
 to Silver Prince 13th. Also one grade  
 Hereford-Guernsey milk cow with  
 heifer calf. W. H. Walker, Sugar  
 Grove, N. C. 5-2-2c

**CEMENT BLOCKS**—8x8x16, 2,000  
 now ready for delivery. Have  
 bevel edges. 2½ miles from Todd  
 on Elk Creek road. Inquire for  
 Giles Graham. 2-5-4p

**FOR RENT**—Two rooms, furnished  
 for bedrooms or light housekeeping.  
 Mrs. George C. Greene, East Boone.  
 5-2-2p

**WANTED**—Girls for pairing, in-  
 specting, transferring, folding and  
 riding, on first shift. Also men  
 or women for boarding on first and  
 second shifts. Will teach learners.  
 Can make good wages after getting  
 experience. Write or phone Duke  
 Hosiery Corporation, Hickory, North  
 Carolina. 5-2-3c

### Watch Repairing

With a more satisfactory sup-  
 ply of materials of late, we  
 are pleased to offer our pat-  
 rons a watch repair service  
 comparable to that given in  
 the pre-war years.

We have added another man  
 to our staff, and all orders are  
 delivered within a minimum  
 length of time.

Our 22 years of experience in  
 this community is your guar-  
 antee of good service and  
 honest workmanship.

**WALKER'S**  
**Jewelry Store**  
**WILL C. WALKER**  
 Opposite Postoffice

**FOR SALE**—Stewart-Warner Grand  
 Concert Radio-Record Player-Recor-  
 der-Public Address combination, in  
 good condition. Half price. See Mr.  
 Williams or Mr. Wey at Appalachi-  
 an High School. 1p

**E SPRUNG**, 120 Oak Street—Lawn  
 mowers repaired and ground by the  
 latest machine, making them just  
 as good as when new. Scissors and  
 clippers sharpened. 5-2-4p

**PLAY SHOES**, leather sandals. Ex-  
 pecting today a big shipment of  
 women's, girls' and children's play  
 shoes and leather sandals. Also  
 "Huaraches" in assorted colors.  
 Price ranges \$1.00 up. Economy  
 Store. 1c

**LOST**—Thoren's nickle plate Swiss  
 make cigarette lighter, between the  
 theatre and bus station, Friday night.  
 Finder return to Democrat office  
 and get reward.

**PLANTS NOW READY**—Cabbage,  
 tomato and sweet pepper. Lloyd  
 Isaacs, Sugar Grove, N. C. 5-9-2p

**WANTED TO RENT**—3 or 4-room  
 furnished apartment or small house.  
 Phone 162, REA office. 1p

**WANTED**—Reliable single man,  
 white or colored, to nurse gentle-  
 man. Excellent wages, good home.  
 Write Box 351, Hickory, N. C. 5-9-3p

I HAVE a nice oak dining room  
 suite with 8 chairs. Army lockers  
 make nice trunks or tool boxes;  
 shower bath, tables and filing cabi-  
 nets. If interested, see Bob Honey-  
 cutt, Boone. 1p

**FOR RENT**—Good garden in Boone.  
 Three-fourths acre. If interested see  
 me at once, and we will make the  
 terms. Arthur Dougherty. 1c

**SHOES! SHOES!**—We have received  
 another big shipment of men's  
 and boys' oxfords and slippers;  
 women's, misses', children's and in-  
 fant's shoes, slippers and oxfords.  
 These shoes are leather and in per-  
 fect condition. All women's, chil-  
 dren's and infants' shoes \$1.65;  
 men's and boys' \$1.65 up. All men's  
 army and marine field shoes re-  
 duced to \$2.50 per pair. We have an-  
 other big lot of men's and young  
 men's and boys' suits, odd coats and  
 pants, army chino shirts and pants,  
 reconditioned John B. Stetson hats.  
 Economy Store. 1p

**GRACE HOSPITAL**, Morganton,  
 North Carolina, announces that it  
 will accept a new class of student  
 nurses September 1, 1946. The  
 school furnishes books, uniforms,  
 and complete maintenance. Appli-  
 cants must be graduates of accred-  
 ited high schools and be between  
 17½ and 35 years of age. Apply  
 immediately to Director of Nurses.  
 4-25-3p

**NEW SPINET PIANOS**—Place your  
 order now for early delivery. Good  
 reconstructed upright pianos, \$95.00  
 up. Garwood Piano Co., Wilkesboro,  
 N. C., Phone No. 456-R. 4-18-4p

**DR. C. G. BAUGHMAN**, eye, ear,  
 nose and throat specialist of Eliza-  
 bethton, Tenn., will be at the Hagan-  
 man Clinic in Boone the first Mon-  
 day in each month for the practice  
 of his profession.

**WANTED**—Refined girls for beauty  
 culture training classes now form-  
 ing. Rates reasonable. Mae's School  
 of Beauty Culture, North Wilkes-  
 boro, N. C. 10-11-1fc

**FOR SALE**—Started New Hamp-  
 shire baby chicks, and used wood-  
 burning and electric automatic  
 brooders Ernest Hillard, Vilas,  
 N. C. 3-21-1fc

**NEW LOT** women's, misses' and  
 children's wash dresses, new and  
 slightly used. We carry big line of  
 anklets at remarkably low prices.  
 Economy Store. 1p

**STRAYED**—Black sow shoat, 40 or  
 50 pounds. Finder notify Odus Wil-  
 cox, RFD 2, Boone (Perkinsville) 1p

**FOR SALE**—Concrete building  
 blocks, 8x8x16, now available. Geo.  
 C. Greene, Boone. 5-2-2p

**FOR SALE**—2 acres land, 2 miles  
 from Green Park Hotel. Excellent  
 view. G. G. Hodges, RFD 1, Blow-  
 ing Rock, N. C. 4-25-3p

**PIANO TUNING**—Repairing, voic-  
 ing, action regulating. Leo W. Bag-  
 ley, certified piano tuner and tech-  
 nician. Expert work guaranteed.  
 Phone 195 Boone, or 7, West Jef-  
 ferson. Burgess Antique Shop.  
 4-18-4p

**DACUS RADIO SHOP**  
**EXPERT RADIO REPAIRING;**  
**ALL MAKES**  
**20 YEARS EXPERIENCE**  
 Next to Theatre Phone 119

**Blue Ridge Music Co.**  
 Opposite Buick Garage  
 New and Used Phonographs  
 Records for Sale.  
 1-24-1fc

## BARE'S MOTHERS DAY GIFT SUGGESTIONS!

*To Mother*  
 WITH LOVE



Remember Mother on next Sunday, May 12th, with  
 personal gifts that she will love and cherish!

With Mother in mind, we have collected gifts . . . gifts she'll appreciate,  
 and they are here on the second floor of BARE'S for you. Our friendly  
 staff will be so delighted to help you with your selections. Come in tomor-  
 row. You'll find gracious things to say "It's your day, MOTHER, dear!"

### SUITS

Beautiful, strictly man-tailored styling in soft shades that are so popular  
 for spring and summer wear. 100% wool gabardines. Select yours now  
 while we have your size.

### GIVE HER A HANDBAG

Beautiful, smartish fabrics for these bags in white plastic, white and  
 black, red and brown. Mother would love one of these bags for Mother's  
 Day gift. She glorifies them because they came from you. Remember  
 the day—May 12th.

### BED SPREADS

These beautiful quilted house coats that Mother would love. Select hers  
 Now! The prices are reasonable.

### BED SPREADS

Beautiful Chenille Bed Spreads in pink, blue, white and yellow. Full  
 bed size. Mother would love one of these as a gift.

These are gifts we think beautiful and practical for your Mother on  
 Mother's Day.

# Bare's Fair Store

"The Friendly Store"

Boone, N. C.



**VOTE FOR**  
**Horace Kennedy**  
 Solicitor of 16th District

Qualified by 22 Years Experience

This is the first time in 40 years Cleveland  
 County has had a candidate for this office

## NOTICE TO CITY TAXPAYERS

The law requires delinquent town taxes to be advertised  
 if not paid. I want to urge all those who owe back taxes to  
 come in and pay them before June 10, 1946, as all those who  
 are behind at that time will be advertised and sold on the  
 second Monday in July.

It is a good time to get taxes paid up and avoid extra  
 cost and penalties, and too, the town needs the money to use  
 for improvements now being made and planned for the  
 summer.

**GORDON H. WINKLER, Mayor**

We have some  
**CANDY**  
**Chewing Gum**  
**5c and 10c Cigars**

Lily Tulip  
**Paper Cups**

Salted Peanuts, Crackers, Sand-  
 wiches, Sewing Thread, Drug  
 Sundries . . . Many other items.

**Merchants Wholesale Co.**  
 Boone, N. C.